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Thursday, October 25, 2007

ZTE inquiry resumes; Cabinet men not going



JAIME AYALA / Nothing out of the ordinary.







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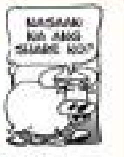
Ayala blasts PNP probe

Mall owner questions gas explosion theory

"NOTHING EXTRAORDINARY" WAS HOW AYALA Land Inc. (ALI), operator of the Glorietta shopping complex in Makati City, yesterday described the condition of the Glorietta 2 (G2) basement before the Oct. 19 explosion that killed 11 people and injured more than 100.







Among Ed: Why did it take 13 days to reveal cash source?

Where's our P500,000 cash? governors ask

Opposition to Erap pardon gaining ground

SC receives first writ of amparo plea

Pinoy on Time magazine's list of Green heroes



Esperon blinks, orders release of Jonas report

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More churches rap GMA

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'Come clean,' Protestants urge President

By Beverly T. Natividad

THE COUNTRY'S EVANGELICAL churches have joined the call for President Macapagal-Arroyo to come clean on corruption allegations hounding Malacañang.

In a statement, the Philippine Council of Evangelical Churches (PCEC) – the largest network of evangelical or Protestant Christian churches in the country – has asked President Arroyo and other political leaders to "respond to the clamor for transparency and address the nation on the various scandals" involving the administration.

Similar calls were made earlier by the Catholic Church, the Philippines for Jesus Movement (PJM) and the Jesus is Lord Movement (JIL).

The PCEC is a network of 65 denominations, 230 mission groups and over 28,000 local churches.

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Esperon asks: Who planted bombs around Glorietta in '03?

ARMED FORCES CHIEF OF STAFF GEN. Hermogenes Esperon Jr. yesterday turned the tables on detained Sen. Antonio Trillanes IV, saying it was the Magdalo group of junior officers, of which Trillanes was one of the leaders, which planted bombs at the Glorietta mall during the failed July 2003 coup.

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On July 27, 2003, a heavily armed Trillanes, with the self-styled Magdalo group of junior military officers and about 300 enlisted personnel, took over the Oakwood Premier hotel, now renamed Ascott, at the Glorietta complex in Makati's Ayala Center.

[illegible] *Nikko Dizon*

'Mamita,' doctor, activist, dies

FORMER SOCIAL WELFARE SECRETARY Mita Pardo de Tavera passed away last Tuesday after a battle with leukemia. She was 87.

Interment will be on Friday after a Mass at 1 p.m. at the Santuario de San Antonio in Forbes Park, Makati City.

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Cyril L. Bonabente, Inquirer Research

Gov't makes it easier to own homes





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Palace denies disbursements

New funding facility

Unthinkable

Where's our P500,000 cash? governors ask

No longer around

Solidarity building

Not enough for all

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CONVENTION THEME

"New Insights On Old Skin Problems and Cosmetic Concerns"

M E S S A G E S







The Philippine Academy of Clinical and Cosmetic Dermatology (PACCD) will hold its 4th Annual Convention with the theme "New Insights on Old Skin Problems and Cosmetic Concerns" on October 25 and 26 at the EDSA Shangri - La. This informative 2-day affair will have an exposé on the latest technology and the recent breakthroughs in the study of Dermatology.



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Esperon blinks, orders ...

Succession of custodians

Enough time to comply

One last chance

SC receives first writ of amparo ...

First day

Manalo brothers

Imminent danger

Killings, disappearances

THE DAILY GOSPEL

Ayala blasts PNP probe

No 'aberrations'

Constant flow

Temporary closure

Scout Binay

Physical evidence

Opposition to Erap pardon gaining ground

Before Nov. 7

'Insult to due process'

'Special' standard

'Political payout'

Miriam College stand

Pinoy on Time magazine's list of Green heroes

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Fil-Ams among US fire victims

6 Customs men suspended over undervalued cars

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Don't rush

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Cretin policies

VIEWPOINT

Juan L. Mercado

The sheep ain't lost, the shepherds are

THERE'S THE RUB

Conrado de Quiros

Albayanons meet climate change challenge head on

POLITICAL TIDBITS

Belinda Olivares-Cunanan



Sumilao redux

HUMAN FACE

Ma. Ceres P. Doyo



Political leprosy

THE LONG VIEW

Manuel L. Quezon III



My parents' child

YOUNG BLOOD

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Gov. Eddie Panlilio

What if gov didn't take cash gift?

A mite for widow of heroic Samar policeman

LETTERS

Who says economy has turned around?

No way to handle stray dogs

Nothing wrong, not surprising

SHIP report shared with various stakeholders

A rejoinder to Joker's 'deliberate falsehood'

Across the NATION

Libya offers to host talks with MILF

COTABATO CITY—LIBYA HAS OFFERED TO HOST peace negotiations between the Philippine government and the secessionist Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF).

Ambassador's message

Impatience

Best efforts

KL meeting

Deal with MNLF

500 families flee homes as soldiers, NPAs clash

By Carla P. Gomez
Inquirer Visayas



SETTLEMENT

RP corals hurting from effects of global warming

By Yolanda Sotelo-Fuertes
Inquirer Northern Luzon

Acidic water

Death in the sea

Carbon rising

Mindanao railway plan revived in talks

Break

Closer to goal

Woman US Army exec unaware of dad's coup role

By Tonette Orejas
Inquirer Central Luzon

Busy schedule

17-year absence

All in the family



INQUIRER Southern Luzon

Gender equality in scouts jamboree



DESPITE INTERMITTENT RAINS, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines (BSP) kicked off its 14th National Jamboree on Oct. 23 with fun and "learning-by-doing" activities, which incorporate lessons ranging from public governance to making of handicraft specialties from different regions.

Female scouts





Historical lighthouse in Calatagan needs rehabilitation



IN THE EARLY DAYS OF MARItime travel, the lighthouse of Cape Santiago safely guided international shipping vessels crossing the Verde Island Passage, San Bernardino Strait and Manila Bay.

The Coast Guard Auxiliary wants to promote the Cape Santiago Lighthouse as a 'cultural center'

Guide

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SERBISYONG TAPAT, ABOT-KAYANG PABAHAY PARA SA LAHAT

HOUSING FAIR II

October 23 - 25, 2007





A Boon to the Industry



Developers recognize that the government's efforts to energize the housing sector have contributed to the current housing boom. Now, the Housing Fair may be counted as one of those efforts.

The current growth in the housing market is proving to be more sustainable than previous booms. The growth is driven by demand, both from the local and the OFW sector. The sustainability, on the other hand, is being fueled by greater responsibility among developers, especially in the risk sharing with financing institutions. Another factor is government's efforts to create a favorable climate for growth in the housing industry.

For developer Roy Cattiga, Subdivision and Housing Developers Association (SHDA) national president, the housing market is one area where government involvement is a good thing.

"Whenever we see the government making an effort to do something, we are encouraged," he says.

Chief among those efforts is President Gloria Macapagal Arroyo's issuance of Executive Order number 45 back in 2001, prescribing the time periods for the issuance of housing-related certifications, clearances and permits of concerned national agencies and the local government unit. This has resulted in faster approval and implementation of housing projects.

Another major initiative is the lowering of interest rates on housing loans, particularly in the Pag-IBIG Fund, the government's premier shelter financing agency. This has made housing more affordable to a greater number of people, and is also causing a shift in the housing market. In the past, Metro Manila employees could only afford to buy homes in the suburbs. Today, the lower monthly amortizations and lower net disposable income requirement due to the decrease in interest rates plus the savings on cost of transportation have put them in the market for affordable condominium units in the city.





And now the Housing Fair program is proving to be another such boon, not just to home buyers but also to the housing industry. Now on its second year, the program allows government shelter agencies and GFIs to sell their foreclosed assets at favorable terms to low- and middle-income employees.

"The idea is very good. I think the government should do this more often. Disposing of foreclosed assets has not been given enough attention in the past, and it's dragging the shelter financing system," Cattiga states.

"In doing this, you are not only providing homes for those who need it but you're also making the financial institutions healthy," he adds.

With all these things, plus the continued teamwork between government and the private sector, the sunny days in the housing sector could indeed last longer. Of course, the person at the helm of the sector has also been a key factor.

"Having the number two person in the land heading housing is a something very important. Things move a lot faster," Cattiga says.

"Vice President Noli De Castro has been working silently, efficiently without much fanfare. He has allowed this system of openness, of mutual help between the developers' group and the government. Everything has been improving because of the openness of both developers and the government to dialogue. It's a joint realization that we have to help each other."

Turning More Workers Into Home Buyers

Response to the very first Housing Fair, held last year at the Glorietta Mall, was so enthusiastic that Vice President Noli de Castro, Chairman of the Housing and Urban Development Coordinating Council (HUDCC), decided to extend the event by one day to accommodate the number of people who were interested in buying a house from among the foreclosed properties being offered on sale.

The success of the event, coupled with insistent demand by the public, has prompted the HUDCC to organize Housing Fair II, to be held from October 23 to 25, 2007 at the Megatrade Hall 1 of the SM Megamall, Mandaluyong City.

Participating this year are the Home Guaranty Corp., Housing and Land Use Regulatory Board, National Home Mortgage Finance Corp., National Housing Authority, Pag-IBIG Fund, Social Housing Finance Corp., the Government Service Insurance System, the Social Security System, and the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas.

With the theme "Serbisyong Tapat, Abot-Kayang Pabahay para sa Lahat" the Fair will be open to government and private sector employees, as well as OFWs.

Over 40,000 foreclosed properties and acquired assets will be offered on sale at discounted prices, with interest rates as low as 6% per annum and repayment period as long as 30 years.

Actual discounts and terms for the sale of properties vary, depending on the seller agency or institution.

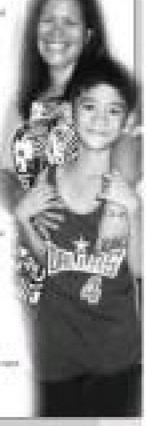
Private developers will also offer brand new housing units in their respective projects.

According to the Vice President, the Housing Fair is now going to be yearly event.

"As the economy continues to improve, we expect to see additional families every year that will be able to afford to buy their own home, whether it's a foreclosed property, or a brand new unit from one of the housing developers. The Housing Fair will be something for them to look forward to" he said.

For more information, please contact the following Housing Fair secretariat offices:
NCR - (02)8114122/ 8126405; Baguio - (074)4433330; Legaspi - (052)8205344; Iloilo - (033)3350680; Cebu - (032)2341480; Davao - (082)2224322; Cagayan De Oro - (08822)2725905

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PHILIPPINE CUP

Phone Pals rip Kings; Bulls score

Avena forges duel vs Park

A plus METRO

Murder raps vs Gonzalez

DOJ reverses dismissal of charges against trader in stepbrother's slay

MMDA, Ynares hold talks on Metro trash

DID YOU KNOW

Security measures in place for November holidays

By Allison W. Lopez, John M. Aurelio and Tina G. Santos

POLICE IN SOME PARTS OF Metro Manila have already put in place security measures for the observance of All Saints' Day on Nov. 1 and All Souls' Day on Nov 2.

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MMDA, Ynares hold talks . . .

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A question of trust

ON TARGET

Ramon Tulfo



WHERE IN THE WORLD DO you find a government that keeps a convicted plunderer in its good graces?

Only in the Philippines!

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METROBRIEFS

Boy's body found

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Guilty of homicide

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CMMA marks 29th Year Milestone

XIX
The Catholic Mass Media Awards

A record 850 entries, the highest entry count in CMMA's 29-year history representing the Student, Radio, Print, Advertising, Cinema, Television, Internet, Website and Music communities, vied for this year's contest which also confers the esteemed Cardinal Sin Book Awards.

The Catholic Mass Media Awards Foundation gives its trademark rock trophies to honor the country's best values communication works and individuals, at the Assumption College's Maria Eugenia Theater of the Assumption (METTA) in San Lorenzo Village, Makati City beginning at 5PM today.



Sec. Alberto G. Romulo

Department of Foreign Affairs Secretary Alberto G. Romulo graces the prestigious event as Guest of Honor and Speaker, while media personalities, showbiz stars, the CMMA's Board of Trustees, bishops and clergy will present the awards.

This year's winners in 54 categories were selected by different panels of judges representing the academe, the print and broadcast media, the music and cinema industries, and the religious community.

His Eminence Gaudencio B. Cardinal Rosales, D.D., Archbishop of Manila and CMMA Honorary Chairman and Amb. Antonio L. Cabangon Chua, CMMA Chairman and President confer the Jaime L. Cardinal Sin SERVIAM Awards to Msgr. Sabino A. Vengco Jr. and Bo Sanchez in the Individual Category and the Catechetical Media Network - Asia (CMN-Asia, Inc.) in the Institutional Category.

Also elevated to the Hall of Fame for Best Educational Program is the three-time winner *Mom's Morning Chat* of Mom's Radio, Southern Broadcasting Corp.

Renowned performers such as Jolina Magdangal, Kea Chan, Reuben Laurente, AKA, Makiling, Bugoy Performing Arts and the Mandaluyong Choir are also set to render special numbers.

2007 CMMA FINALISTS

The WORLD

Turkey readies for incursion into Iraq

ANKARA—TURKISH TROOPS HAVE SHELLED suspected Kurdish rebel positions across the border in Iraq, a government official said on Wednesday before civilian and military leaders gathered to discuss the scope and duration of a possible offensive into northern Iraq.

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Iraq cracks down on Kurd rebels

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More than half a million ordered to evacuate in California



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Action pressed vs Burma

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Ex-Korean president blamed for kidnapping

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Indonesia bird flu deaths hit 89

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NewsBriefs

Space shuttle blasts off

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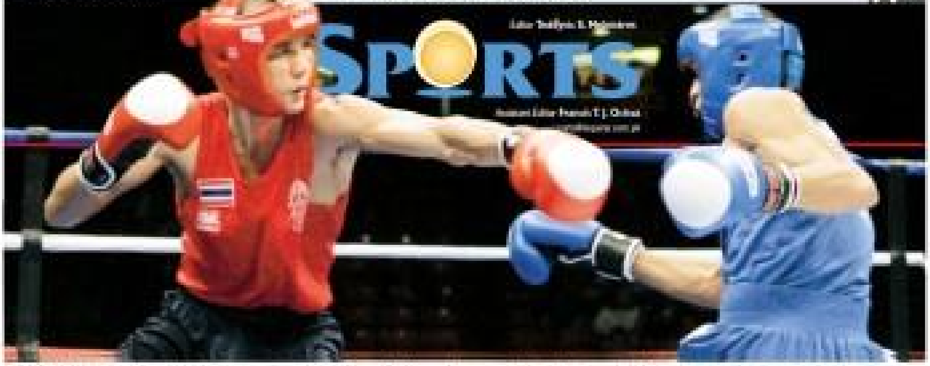
Somalia frees UN official

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6 militants nabbed

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Foxy Thai mauls off-form Tipon

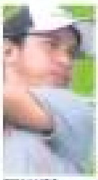
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RP five battles Mail and More



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Fernando salvages 71, falls behind by 5



FERNANDO

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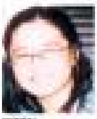
'Z' camp denies Darchinyan bout

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UAAP bets pace Unigames

Inton snares 7 swim golds



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Laguna paces Bicol-SL games



Basketball awards up

NBC-Spring rips Indons

Rotary golfest goes to Macau



SPORTSWATCH

Breeder of the Year up

SPORTS

Red Sox, Rockies get World Series going

The new Yankees



SWISS ACE. Switzerland's Roger Federer gets back on the winning track, beating Germany's Michael Berrer 6-1, 3-6, 6-3. Federer was coming off a defeat to David Nalbandian in the recent Madrid Masters.

Fernando . . .

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Big J coming home soon

IN HUDDLE



Beth Celis

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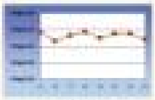
Businessmen remain upbeat on economy

Public-private partnerships key to growth

THE LOCAL BUSINESS community remains upbeat about the Philippines' prospects amid the challenges posed by globalization and the controversies in the political arena.

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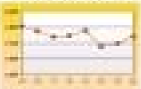
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Stock Market

Shares rebound after US rally

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Citigroup sees ₱42.50:$1

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Yap bats for more investments in agriculture sector





Ayala Corp. raises size of bond float to ₱8B

PLDT seen hitting profit target



PANGILINAN

Sale of PNOC-EC shares set

Citigroup sees P42.50:$1

Businessmen ...



GMA Network posted ₱1.8-B profit in Jan.-Sept.

Firm expects to surpass P2-B mark by end of '07

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Conrado R. Banal III

Insular offers dollar-denominated policy

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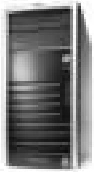
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Court says special deposit accounts subject to the tax

Shell CNG stations start operations

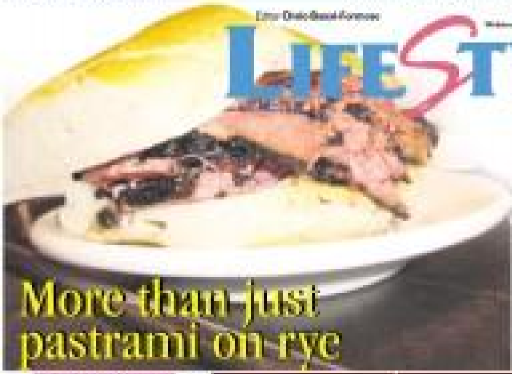


Lafayette ships $8.3M worth of copper, zinc



SM Pampanga opens annex

LIFESTYLE



More than just pastrami on rye



COUNTRY COOKING

Micky Fenix



East Creative Asian retains the dishes' original flavors but the plating is modern



PECAN Walnut Tart a la mode from Caffè Molinari

Authentic taste, contemporary look



PLATTER of beef tataki maki, super salmon maki, spicy tuna maki, spinach dumpling and tuna



COLD Mocha



ROAST Hainanese Chicken Rice



MAROCCHINO



DEEP-FRIED ... with mushrooms and tofu



COLD Latte

Afternoon crowd





SINGAPOREAN Lo Hei Salad. At right, chef Him Uy de Baron adds spice to the salad, a traditional Chinese New Year dish.



CHOCO Loco Glace

7-year-old says thanks



STRAWBERRY Kiwi Glace

THE CONSUMER

When being 'gaya-gaya' can be good

More and more American schools are banishing sodas and junk food from their canteens

COOKING CLASSES

Rockin' rolls and seafood buffet

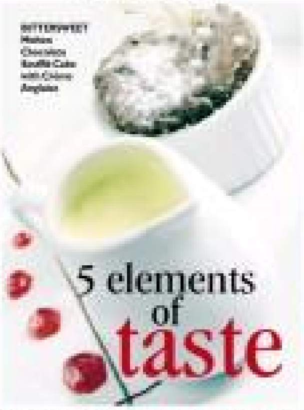






PAVLOVA with Strawberry, Mango and Blueberry



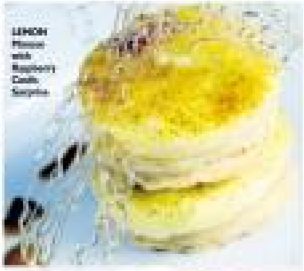


BITTERSWEET Molten Chocolate Soufflé Cake with Crème Anglaise

5 elements of taste



SPICED Hot Chocolate in Demitasse with Fresh Plump Strawberry



LEMON Mousse with Raspberry Coulis Surprise



CRÈME Brûlée Napoleons with Caramel Sauce and Fleur de Sel

More than just pastrami on rye

Different



LIFESTYLE



DEATH by chocolate: Spiral's White and Dark Chocolate Truffle Bones Cake

Spine-tingling, trick-or-treating and tummy-filling good time

Sofitel Philippine Plaza Manila flicks its magic wand this Halloween

By Irene C. Perez

FOR WIZARD WANNABES, the best thing about Halloween is dressing up in funky contemporary costumes. But for foodies, Halloween is yet another excuse to dig into yummy treats.

Sofitel Philippine Plaza Manila flicks its magic wand and offers tricks and treats for your tummy as it transforms its Spiral restaurant into a haunted castle for the Spooktacular Halloween event.

Special menus will be served at the School of Magic Halloween Brunch on Oct. 28, 11:30-2:30 p.m., and Halloween Dinner on Oct. 31, 2-5:30 p.m.

Raw and red

And what could be "spookier" than having your food served in life-size coffins by "Dark Angels" in eerie costumes and face painting styled by Happy Bodinski?

Well, adults and kids could play "vampire" and partake of the "raw and red dinner" with cold station like Raw Grilled Tuna with Tomato Salsa, Raw Cured Salmon Fillet, Pumpkin Panna Cotta with Pumpkin Seed Oil and Pickled Quail Egg.

Chef April Bohmeyer, assistant chef de partie, said they took inspiration from Mediterranean and Italian flavors for the Halloween menu. "We also thought kids would enjoy eating 'bats and spiders' for dessert," he said.

Be bewitched by the Fiery Red Marinated Tandoori Bones and have your kids eat veggies with pumpkin dishes like Mushroom Ravioli with Curried Pumpkin Sauce, Pumpkin-stuffed Roasted Chicken with Tarragon Jus, Mashed Pumpkin and Potatoes, and Roasted Vegetables.

"We present vegetables as attractive decorations so that they become appealing to the kids. We also focus on pumpkins for the theme," says chef de partie Michael Ballopista, resident kitchen artist.

Love Potion, anyone?

Drinks are formulated in "Frankenstein's ghoulish laboratory" in cocktails out of "Dra



BOO. Team Spiral joins in the fun in full spooky gear complete with face paint.

Spine-tingling, trick-or-treating . . .



SCARED of spiders? These cotton candy cobwebs might just allay all your fears.







SPIDER Cheesecake

Pumpkin carving



Zombie's Wake-Up Drink

Love Poison



Dracula's Smoothie





Ghoulish stuff for trick or treating

Spooktacular doughnuts



Bewitching Halloween recipes



CEMETERY cake

Witches' Hat Chocolate Cupcakes



Hershey's Brownie Cemetery Cake

Good feeds ensure healthy livestock





Livestock feeds

Phytase

Cited by Harvard

Quality is better



Dining Out



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BREAKFAST BUFFET [illegible]

Halloween specials for all ages



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Spirits gather at Reunion Square

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Reggie's phonebook II

Reinventing the Ilocano 'empanada'

KITCHEN RESCUE
Reggie Aspiras



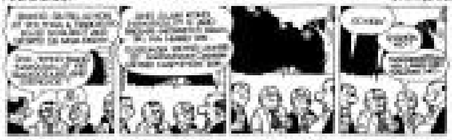




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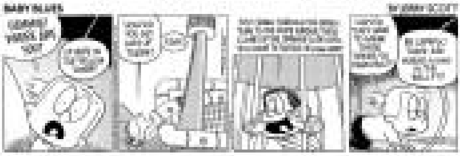
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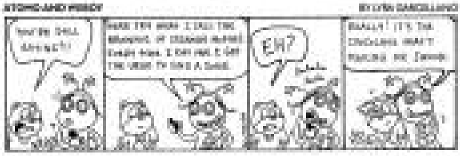
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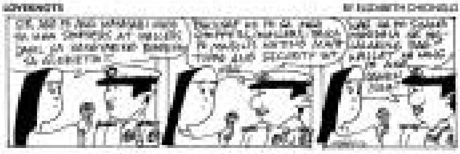
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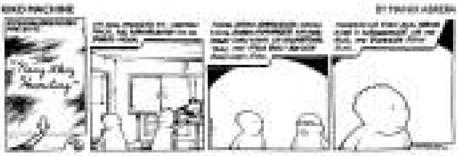
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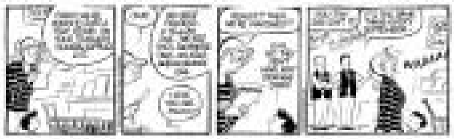
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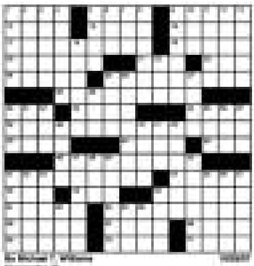
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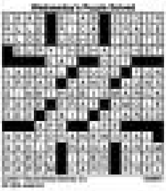


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CONCEPTIS SU DOKU

Conceptis Sudoku

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		8			2	5		
		6		3		1		
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Difficulty Level ★★★

HOW TO PLAY SU DOKU

Fill the grid so that every column, every row and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 to 9.

Tips and programs at www.sudoku.com

Answer to previous puzzle

Asian restos fight hunger







Not one, not two but 27 new dishes on the menu

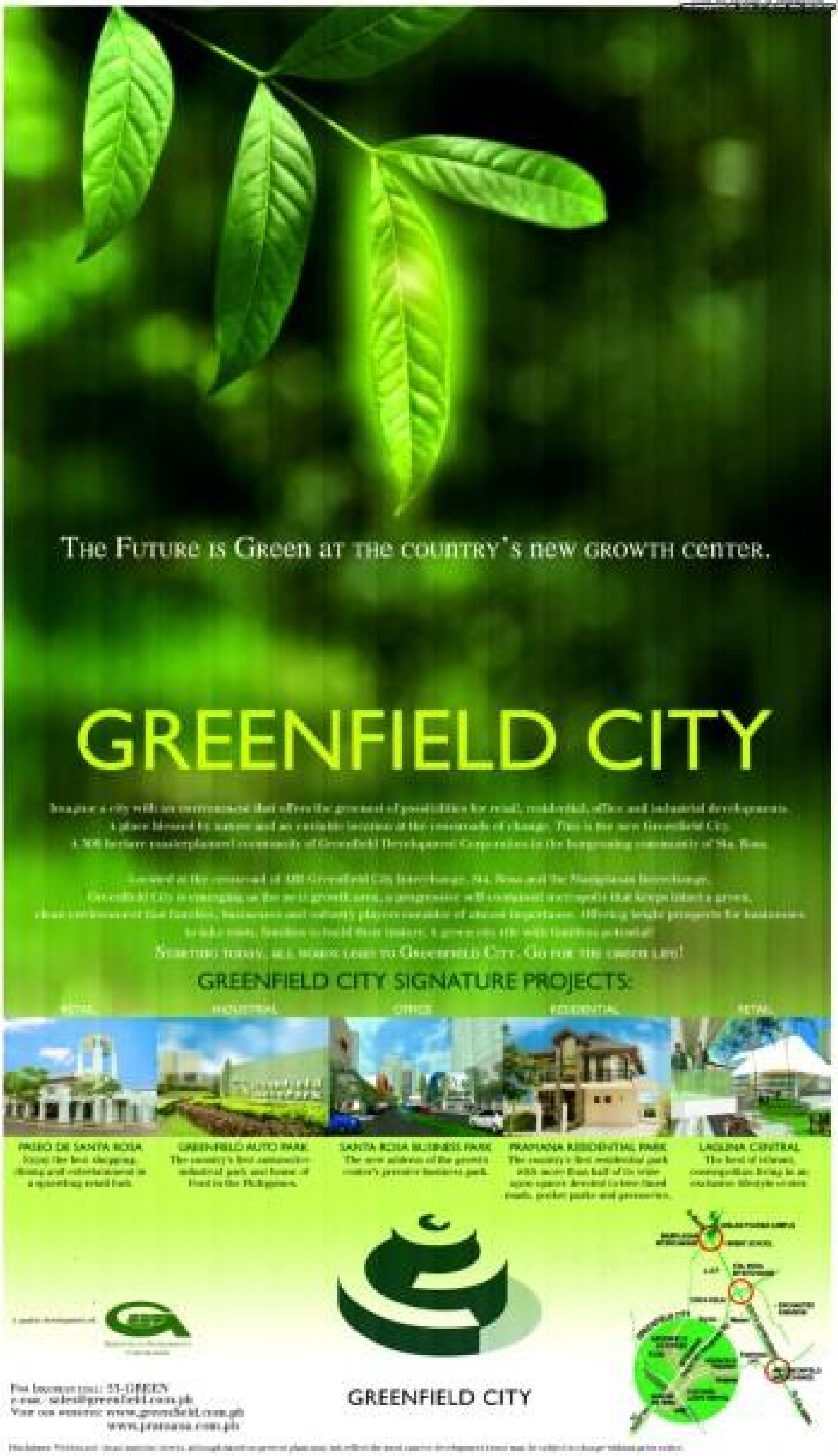






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ENTERTAINMENT

Editor Ramon G. Yolando

Still not in the clear

By Marinel R. Cruz

NOW THAT THE CONTROversy concerning her career move has ebbed, Angel Locsin felt there was need to clear the air as she faced the entertainment press last week.

The actress arrived at the dining hall of ABS-CBN on Friday night, along with her talent manager Becky Aguila and Aguila's lawyer.

Angel asked the writers to "help me make people understand, to finally put an end to the issue.

"What I'm going through is not easy. I'm only 22, pero kinakaya ko," a teary-eyed Angel added. "I hope to have the chance to talk to them. I'll talk with them in private."

She was referring to her former bosses in GMA 7, senior vice president for entertainment Wilma Galvante and Artist Center head Ida Henares, who publicly expressed their disappointment over Angel's decision to transfer to rival channel ABS-CBN.

"You have no idea how I feel. It pains me to know that they are hurting. I treated them like my companions," Angel said. "I'm just waiting for the right time to sit down with them. I don't want them to think that I'm using them for publicity purposes."

On Aug. 11, Angel signed a two-year exclusive contract with the Kapamilya network. She is being teamed up with Piolo Pascual and would soon be seen in the TV series titled "Lobo."

Do you still have "live" contracts with GMA 7?

"Yes. The network still gets a share of the tal-

INSIDE



ANGEL LOCSIN meets the press last week and begs for help "to make people understand." But she seems to be having trouble making sure her new manager and whatever it is she wants to put across.



Rbian plays a Mega role

She is paired with Mark Herras in 'My Only Love' remake

By Bayani San Diego Jr.

RBIAN RAMOS IS SUPPOSED TO BE taking a break from show biz.

But she found herself accepting a major ... make that mega... role in a new afternoon soap on GMA 7.

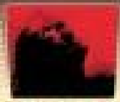
The 16-year-old Rhian is the new partner of Mark Herras in the remake of "My Only Love," the 1992 Sharon Cuneta-Gabby Concepcion movie, according to GMA head Cesar.

The series, which started taping on

INSIDE

WEEKEND BOX OFFICE

Top 10 movies at the North American box office for the three-day weekend beginning October 19



		Title	Gross	
1		30 Days of Night	[illegible]	[illegible]
2		Why Did I Get Married?	[illegible]	[illegible]
3		The Game Plan	[illegible]	[illegible]
4		Michael Clayton	[illegible]	[illegible]
5		Gone Baby Gone	[illegible]	[illegible]
6		The Comebacks	[illegible]	[illegible]
7		We Own the Night	[illegible]	[illegible]
8		The Nightmare Before Christmas 3-D	[illegible]	[illegible]
9		Rendition	[illegible]	[illegible]
10		The Heartbreak Kid	[illegible]	[illegible]

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GALLERIA

1 STARDUST - THX
2 BUTTERFLY on a WHEEL
3 MANILA PRIDE FEST
4 UNREST
5 RENDITION
6 HIGHLANDER
MR. WOODCOCK
7 RESIDENT EVIL 3
8 KNOCKED UP
9 THE SEEKER: Dark is Rising
10 APAT DAPAT DAPAT APAT

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1 RENDITION
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5 BUTTERFLY on a WHEEL
6 THE SEEKER: Dark is Rising
7 RESIDENT EVIL 3

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2 THE SEEKER: Dark is Rising
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1 RENDITION
2 UNREST
3 BUTTERFLY on a WHEEL
4 THE SEEKER: Dark is Rising

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1 NO RESERVATIONS
2 THE SEEKER: Dark is Rising
3 SHOOT 'EM UP
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3 RESIDENT EVIL 3
4 DECEMBER BOYS

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3 HIGHLANDER
4 BUTTERFLY on a WHEEL

ANGELES

1 RETRIBUTION
2 STARDUST
3 RESIDENT EVIL 3
4 APAT DAPAT DAPAT APAT

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2 THREE
3 KNOCKED UP

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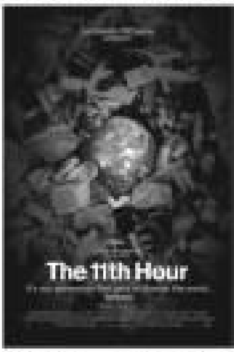
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SM Cinema — movietime SHOWTIME

Your life as a movie



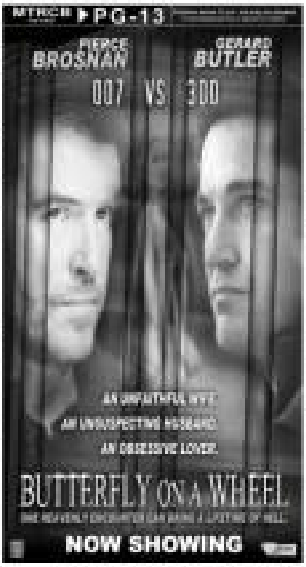
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Still not in the clear

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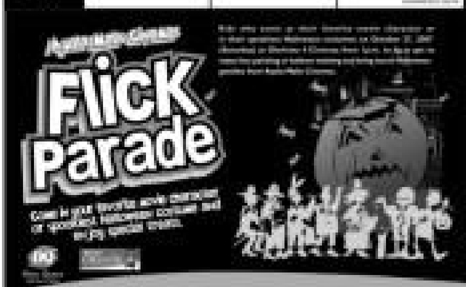


At the Cinemas

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GREENBELT 1	1 BUTTERFLY ON A WHEEL	2 RENDITION					
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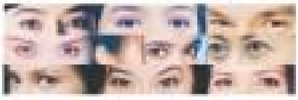
At the Malls

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TriNoma	[illegible]





SEEING STARS



Rhian plays a Mega role

More minus than plus points

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Nestor U. Torre

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DID YOU KNOW...

Paul Anka at 66: Too good to stop singing

Proud of achievements

A failure at 15



PAUL Anka wrote "My Way" for Frank Sinatra.



Hail, Queen Cate– again

> Brad Pitt says of her, 'She is mesmerizing... I don't know why... it's beyond my understanding'

Choosing roles

Oscar nod

Reunion

Iconic figure

Tight secrecy

Getting the facts straight

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